## Today's Live News of the Sunshine State

## Albuquerque Man Fired the First Shot at Historic Fort Sumter the president. He was greatly of war de-

New York Herald Special Writer Tells Interesting Story of productly waited until the major How Colonel Henry Saxon Farley, for Twenty-Five Years a Miner in Golden District Touched Off the First Shell in the Civil War.

Farleys Born Fighters.

Colonel Henry Saxon Farley was

born in Charleston S. C., February

High L. Parley, who died October 1 1897, while serving as adjutant gen-

eral of South Carolina, was premin

ent throughout the war, and the oth

the here or two books by General

Esten Cooke-"Surrey of the Eagle's

In his book describing the mili-

"Though the opening of hostilities

livered, notifying Colenal Anderson

"The peaceful stillness of the night

was auddenly broken just before

dawn. From Fort Johnson's mortar

erdered him to pull the lanyard for

the fateful shot.) "It sped aloft,

ing its pecliar are of fire, and

crashing noise, in the very center of

The engagement thereafter lasted

ceasing vigor, but the Confederate

flag was not run up to take the place

of the stars and stripes until two

speaks. "it may be said that the or-

secret session a fittle after midday on

December 26, 1866, in South Caro

lina. To gain possession of her forts was all-importat and necessary

to the control of the only seaport of

importance on her coast. The city of

at the confluence of the Ashley and

Charleston lies on a tongue of land

coper rivers, the location being not

"The buy extends four miles east-

ward. These forts defended the har-

bor: Castle Pickney, a brick stan

and commanding it capable of hold-

ty two guns; Port Moultrie, of great-

came Fort Sumter, an imposing

only haif a mile back from its mouth

and erected on an artificial island

forty feet high, enclosing an

pied by an ordinance surgrant

The walls were eight feet thick and

of 300 by 350 feet and designed for

148 guns. Castle Pickey was occu-

his family. Fort Sumter by two en

Moultrie were so low that Major

Simter when war seemed imminent.

run like rais over the ramparts' General Scott desced that rein-forcements be sent instantly to Fort

Anderson said a storming party could

Farley, who bere so conspicuous

part in the matter of which

dinance of secresion was passed

"Retrospectively." says Colonel

throughout the day with aims

days later.

ontinued Colonel Roman, "describ-

Nest," and "Wearing of the Gray."

tary operations of General Beaure-gard. Colonel Alfred Roman says of

Fort Sumter:

er. Captain William D. Farley, "teneral J. E. B. Stuart's staff.

These are not days and warriors erate army. He is still hving, and old and new are of special inferest is hale and hearty at the age of It will be learned with interest and seventy-four years or florid com-surprise that the man who fired the first shot in the great Civil war, and long imperiat, he resembles sometrut shot in the great Civil war, and what the late Major General Winfield who opened the historic hombard-ment of Fort Sumter, has been a resident for twenty-five years of this city and the mining camp of Golden. whose military hearing and flowing About the year 1836 he married white hair and heard make him a Phoebe M. Downs of Laurens counnotable figure on the streets during to a granddaughter of Major Jona-his frequent visits to Albuquerque than Downs and of Major Louis Sax-Lieutenant James W. Dixon, Fourth on both of Revolutionary fame.

United States artillery, retired, in an article in the New York Herald of ing story of Colonel Farley and the born in Charleston, S. C., February first shot in the great conflict. The 114, 1840. He and his three brothers article is illustrated with an excel-lent photograph of Colonel Farley, the Confederate army during the and is in part as follows:

By JAMES W. DIXON. Late First Identenant Fourth United States Artiflery.

Conflicting statements have been made regarding the first shot fired in a shot that echoed round the world, and was the beginning of a war that hasted four years. costing the lives of hundreds thousands of men, north and south, and billions of dollars in money and

The shot was fired at half-past four o'clock in the morning of April 12, 1861, from a 12-inch mortar on had, for the last two years, been al-James Island, near the site of old most hourly expected by officers and Fort Johnson, in South Carolina, by men of the various commands, and Henry S. Farley. Colonel George S. by the whole population of the city James, then a captain, being in com- of Charleston, still so good was the mand of the island. The mortar bat- tone of the troops, so confident of terics were located on this idend, the results were the non-combatants one commanded by Captain James, that when the last message of the the other by Lieutenant Wade Hampton Gibbs, a West Point graduate. Because of the discussion that has that fire would open on him in an arisen from time to time about the hours' time, quiet, order ad disciidentity of the man responsible for pline reigned throughout the city and the first shot, this correspondence is barbor.

Columbia, S. C.

My Dear Parley :-Won't you please give the facts an battery at half past four a. m., April yan know them of the hombardment 12, 1861, issued the first - and, Fort Sumter, or rather, of the many thought, the too long deferred opening of the bombardment? What -signal shell of the war. It battery fired the signal and the next fired, not by Edward Ruffin, of Vir-Whether your or mine, etc. ginia, as has been erroneously be A point has been made, and I want lieved, but by Captain George it settled. I hope the world is treat- James of South Carolina." (This was ing you well. Yours with best wish- the officer who, Colonel Parley states W. H. GIBBS.

Which Battery Fired First?

Charleston Harbor. Fort Johnson, S. C. bursting over Fort Sumter, fell with

Mount Pleasant Military Academy, the parade. Dear Sir:—I hope that you will Strategic Importance of Sumter. excuse my trespassing on your time "Thus was 'reveille' sounded excuse my tresposing on your time. "Thus was "reveille sounded for some information which will be Charleston and its harbor on t a matter of history, connected with eventful morning. In an instant all the first firing on Fort Sumter. If was bustle and activity. I am not mistaken, you were at Fort sace was reported at roll call, Johnson on the eventful morning of citizens poured down to the battery the 12th of April, 1861, as a partici- and the wharves, and women pant, in one of the batteries. If you children crowded each window of the will recollect, there were two mor- houses overlooking the sea -- rapt tar batteries located at the above spectators at the scene. point one on the beach, directly utes to five o'clock all the batteries of Sumter, and the other on the and mortors which encircled the bill, due northwest of the beach bat- grim fortress were in full play against terr, under command of Captain Geo. D James, who also commanded the post. The battery on the beach was under the immediate command of aright, in the battery on the beach, with Captain James. The buttery on the hill was under the immediate command of Lieutenant Wade Hamp-

Can you recollect who pulled the lanyard of the first mortar fired? I have always been under the impres sion that the first shot fired camfrom the bruch battery and that eith er Captain James or myself pulled

I was at Fort Johnson at the time as a volunteer surgion for the occasien, and was a resident of James is-

Hoping that you may recelled the unlike that of New York, which lies circumstances as they franspired at at the junction of the East and Hudthis long date from their occurrence. Non rivers.

I beg to remain. Yours respectfully. R. LEBBY, M. D. To these letters Colonel Farley re- ture, lying one mile from the plied, stating that, under the com-

mand of Captain James, he himself ing a garrson of 100 men and tweninnyard of the first gun fired at Sumter, thus showing that or size and importance, four miles claims made by the friends of Ed. from the city, on Sullivan's Island. It win, Buffin, Licutenant Gibbs and bad been rebuilt on scientific pract others from different points in the ples and mounted fifty-five guns. narbor were without foundation in with a garrison of 300 men-Point, had left the military academs

Coloner Parley who was I think, fistucture in size, situated about the member of the class of 1861, West middle of the harbor entrance and and had joined Captain James' but tery as a lieutemant. Because just from "the Point," well up in military tuction and a fine mathemutician. Captain James, being exreedingly anxious that the first shot should be accurately fired, ordered Farley to fire the mortar.

gineer officers and 110 workmen. Fort Moultrie had fifty workmen Together with many of his classangles and brother cadets from the and a garrison of sixty-nine soldlers other classes, he entered the Confedand nine officers. The walls of Port

T. F. TANNUS, M. D. Specialist in Ere. Ear. Nose and Throni. Capital City Bank Building. Santa Fe, N. M. Late from Europe.

force to Port Sumter. Advance news was at once sent to the president and the commissioners and the latter immediately communicated with that the movement was gninat orders and they were disused to order Anderson back, but he uld be heard from.

After Anderson's move to Sumtet. fort Moultrie, Castle Pickney, the armenal, custom house and post office were seized by the confederate government. Then began the long. contfut siege of Fort Sumter.

Colonel Parley organized and commanded the dismounted cavalry corporated of Lee's army from the battle of the Wilderness to the fall of Petersburg.

## **BILLS FROM JURY**

District Court Opens Today in Roswell With Heavy Grind of Business Ahead for the

Roswell, N. M., April 19.-The dis rict court grand jury for the apring final report yesterday afternoon, rearning five more true and two neolls, making tota returned 32 true, and eight no-bills,

The investigators reported that they had examined the county books and found things O. K. That but few vications of the compulsory actual law

In reporting their investigation of the jail they stated that they found everything in excellent shape, oners well cared for, and well treat ed, but recommended that the iron work inside the jail be repainted where needed and that the kitchen se calcimined.

They studied the report of the traveling auditor and remarked that some vised that they be followed.

The grand jury recommended that the opinion of the district attorney regarding the state law against careying deadly weapons be printed or laces over the country.

The grand jury was in session just The petit fury panel is returnable

omorrow morning at 2 a. r In many of the true bills returned he sheriff's force has not as yet made

The criminal cases and the jury uses will be tried before Judge Rich ardson. Judge McClure is to hold term of court at Raton shortly.

## NEW BANK BUILDING AT BELEN OPENED

(Special Correspondence to the Herald) Belen, N. M., April 20.—The ne-uilding of the First National ban it the corner of Becker and Dalier avenues was opened today. of the finest bank buildings in New Mexico and cost with its fixtures \$12. 000. The equipment includes not very strong modern vaults but a safedeposit department.

The fixutres are of African magany and Carrara marble, put in the American Fixture company of Kunsas City, Mo. It has its own lighting plant, water system for fire n and also is provided with

## NEW POSTMASTERS FOR NEW MEXICO APPOINTED

Washington, April 20.-The followpostmasters have been appointed n New Mexico: Mrs. Oney Ramond, Tennie, Lin-

oin county. Wallace E. Bennett, Cuervo. Glenn C. Morgan, Lake Arthur, Juan Vatencia, Odon. Beth M. Grover, San Rafaet.

Jose R. Padilla, Steeplerock. GOOD BACKS FOR BAD.

Albuquerque Residents Are Learning How to Exchange the Old Back for a Stronger One.

Does your back ache, feel weak and Do you suffer headaches, languer and depression?

Is the urine discolored, passages irregular?

The kidneys may be calling for Weak kidneys can not do their

Give them the help they need. cure a kidney backache you nust cure the kidneys. Use a tested and proven kidney

Doan's Ridney Pills have stood the Convincing proof of merit in Albu-

Mrs. Louise Burnette, 509 W. Siler street. Albuquerque, N. M., says: One of my family had a bad back. the had known of Donn's Kidney Pills for a long time and she began using them. They quickly cured her and she has had no trouble since." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 ents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,

New York, sole agents for the United Remember the name-Doan's-Just here, Major Anderson, acting in and take no other.

## im that "the errors of decision may sometimes be corrected, those of nodesison never," moved his entire YEAR IN AGREAGE

More Attention by Farmers to General Farming than Ever Before with Number of New

(Special torrespondence to the Herald) Roswell, N. M., April 18. - There going to be more land in cultivation the Roswell district this year, than Besides the twelve hundred acres

f new orchards which have been danied many more than a thousand eres of good virgin soil is to be lanted to smaller crops. There will be the four or five huared acres of cantaloupes , and several

undred of watermelons.

And many farmers, especially those trip over a barren waste, up in the dry land section will put Last week three auto boads it acreages.

hundreds of acres of this forage crop the meeting there were two members is being planted now. While some of the county road board, two memcome has always been grown in the bers of the board of county commis mountains a much larger acreage in sloners, several of the county bankers to be planted this year. three newspaper men, half a dozen indian corn is to be generally auto livery men and a host of auto

planted this year. Dr. H. H. Keith owners, besides a bunch of busines is to plant forty acres. Ben Ames. men and ranchers. who had the banner production in it was brought out at the meet-last year. W. G. Hamilton is plant-ling corn and says be will produce 150 from Durango to the state line, as in-

Southwest.

oon to be established in Myndus in miles to take care of. the eastern part of this county according to P. W. Turner on the occasion his recent visit to Deming. Mr. Aztec and one Farmington. "Turnerized" roofing and is in every plans for making Myodus a town of the first direct result of the moconsiderable importance. The pro-

completed and is new in service. The costing about \$500 being suggested studying the stream for a report to the army board, which is now investthe installation of a city water plant committees a meeting was held

ed and as soon as these are leasted ten more will be built The foundations for a business block will be laid this week by the Thomas J. Prichard the work in Flora Vista. firm which has comall the Turner devel;

Mr. Turner left New York City, but here within the next few weeks.

The Southwestern 900 worth of land on the 2:000-nore tract east of the city. The purchasers were: H. H. Beghtol, of the Metropolitan Street Hallway company of Kansas City, Mo.: Sumuel Flinn, of the Consumers' Ice company of Kansas City, Mo.; Charles Jones. of Jackson county Mo., of Independence, and W. L. Waggoner, a con-

tractor of Livingston III. The eig.,th grade class roll of Luna county for this year shows an in-creased population of agriculturists and land holders, in this part of the state. Two years and there were six graduates, and last year's class numbered seven. This year there are thirty-three applicants for examinaflor, completing all or part of the re-quirements necessary to obtain a cer-tified to enjoy.

Infeate. Twenty-two pupits of this After the plans have been com-class have met all the requirements, pleted it is proposed to ask the state.

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# **GOOD ROADS**

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MEANS CONNECTION WITH REST OF NEW MEXICO

County Government and Various Towns and Villages Join in Movement Which Means Much for Develop-

(By Orvall Ricketts.) Farmington, April 17 - The estab-lishment of a good road from the Colorado state line to the Hogback of the reservation in San Juan county i hundred of watermelons.

A new crop will be stock beets. That is, there will be larger acreages. R. K. Theomeson is planting ten acreages south of the city. There will be a hundred acres planting ten acreages thandred acres planted throughout the Roswell section. The stock best produces abundantly here ten to thirty tons per acre, which bring 55 to 48 per acre. The coming of the cow and the hog is creating a demand for stock beets.

The new crop for the year, and which will be quite generally planted in small tracts is actichedes. H. W. Joyce made such great success of them last year that several small.

them last year that several small through every town in San Juan tracts will be planted. Among the county, New Mexico, thus keeping in many farmers who will plant this crop touch with telephone service, water are McGinty on the Mike Buros land, and farm houses and town hostelries wouth of town, and C. M. Daugherty, all the way, besides furnishing tour-This will be the second year for ists pleasing scenery and other com-such feterits—the dry-land crop forts not to be had in making the

Farmington good roads enthusiast The recent rains and shows have drive up to Agtec to hold a join comput lots of moisture in the ground and ference with the Agtec auto club.

deed they are already working on it in places. It is from the state line to the Hogoack that San Juan county people are asked to put their energies. From the Hogback to Shipock, which is on the Indian reservaon, Superintendent Shelton has one of the best roads in the county, in fact, the best, and only a year ago expended \$5,000 in blasting a road out of the side of a solid rock wall that the steep and dangerous grade-up over the Hogback might be eliminated. He has been at work for over seven years putting the twelve miles from the Hoghack to the agency in condition. But he has many times Eastern Manufacturer Said to the road from the agency at Shiprock to the line of his jurisdiction on the reservation in just as good shape if the people of the San Juan would there is little of special increst in only get how and make the people of the san Juan would there is little of special increst in only get busy and make a pike of the change of the government outtheir road. Thus a road from rango to Gallup is assured, the Galpeople having agreed to build a Deming, N. M., April 19 .- One of road twelve miles this way to the he largest sanitariums in the west is reservation; with only a little over 5

At the meeting two committee were appointed. one to represent Turner is the manufacturer of the committees are to take charge of the Turnerized roofing and is in every active work and will canvass the canvass the

way financially able to make good his county in the interest of the road. The first direct result of the meetconsiderable importance. The proposed sanitarium is to cost about
\$290,000, and will be located about a
half mile north of the present townsite. Water is now being developed
there and the Dymond agency has received orders for the installation of a
pumping plant. style of grader that they want, one

the installation of a city water part of the use of the hotel and the lown. Flora Vista. Enthusiants from Agree rivers and harbors act. Mr. Bises-A 10.000-gailon steel storage rank is and Farmington were present, besides burn's headquarters are at Galveston. present at this gathering, showing that the interest is increasing. meeting was organized and committees were appointed to take care of

plete charge of the Hood whool house, and then meeting are to be held in rapid successful. Wednesday for and it is hoped that within the next expected hack week or so to have the work properly in line to commence the throwing of dirt. The county surveyor has ofompany opened its wiling campaign fered his services in platting out the boose attached to the saddle, and his week with an initial sale of \$25, proposed work on the road, which has been under the tender

> now completed. Bids are being called capture. for to bridge the La Plata, and the bridge across the San Juan at Ship rock is in course of construction which are the three places that have hindered this road action being taken

The outlook is more than hopeful. and can Juan county people may well rejoice at the prospects of being connected by a good road both with Colorado and with the rest of the glorious Sunshine state, of which they are in fact an integral part, but which the general belief that in the event for years, on account of the lack of of a cuil for the national guard, the any good toad, have been denied the troops along the horder would be the close communication that they are en. first to be called out.

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Arrangements for Gathering Pueble today to take up active work on the second unit of the municipal of Teachers from All Parts of the Southwest During Summer School.

TRUJILLO FOLLOWS HIS HORSE INTO CAPTIVITY

Jemez Man Arrested by United Liquor to Indians; News of State Capitol.

(Special Dispatch to The Herald). Santa Fe. N. M., April 20.-Super ntendent Pears of the government Indian service is in Santa Fe today holding a conference with Assistant Superintendent R. F. Asplund of the state department of education, with reference to the holding of a conference of Indian school teachers of the southwest, which will be held in this city during the summer. during the summer school for which arrangements have been made. More than 100 teachers are expected to at-

HOLCOMB SUICIDE IS ATTRIBUTED TO ILL REALTH

The suicide of E. P. Holcomb Washington last week, which croused interest in New Mexico benurse of Holcomb's activity in his tate as a special agent of the terior department, is attributed Washington letters and newspaper clippings received here today to pendency superinduced by ill health.

ARMY ENGINEER SPUDYING

THE FLOW OF RIO GRANDE N. T. Blackburn, a United States rmy engineer is in Santa Fe today n consultation with State Engineer French and in course of a trip along the Rio Grande, in which he Last night at the call of the joint tigating all streams in the United

ABAN TRUJILLO FOLLOWS

HORSE INTO CAPTIVITY Deputy United States Carlos Creamer returned today with Aban Truillo of Jemez, who he arrested in the Jemes mountains last week under a United States warrant and indictment charging Aban with selling liquor to Indiana.

It was Aban's horse, which was captured several weeks ago with a varied assortment of plains and fancy booze attached to the saddle, and will be of invaluable assistance. | core meaning the horse of Deputy The new bridge at Cedar Hill is United States Marshal Rose, since its care meaning the horse-of Deputs

STANDING ARMY IS

READY FOR THE FRAY It is announced at the adjutant general's office today that the New Mexico national guard is already on s war footing, and is ready at any time to respond to the call of duty. Governor McDonald said he had no intimation that the national guard might be called on, but it has been

After the plans have been completed it is proposed to ask the state of New Mexico for funds, as San Juan has been paying one mill road tax for the past seven years and the state has not spent one cent in this part of the state for good roads.

Follow the Same Ruke.

"Congressman Wellaby looks worked aince women got the ballot."

"Yes, be says he's all at sen ite's an expert at kissing bables, but he doesn't knew just how to compagn among grown girls." — Kansas City Journal.

## PIPE ARRIVES FOR NEW WATER WORKS BUILDING AT RATON

Raton, N. M., April 19.-Two carloads of pipe are now unloaded and three more care are en route from the Pueblo foundries for the new maths for the c. , water plant. The first laying of new pipe will be storted within a few days in southeast Raton -the lowest part of the system. Con-tractor Gordon is having all pipe given a maximum test before ship-ping, thus insuring the new system when installed for service, Mr. Goron was expected to arrive from system, which includes a network of mains reaching every block in the Meanwhile the excavating rock work for the emergency reservoir on the south slope of Goat hill is steadily progressing under the superin-tendence of Subcontractor McKenzie.

Delegate to Mothers' Congress. Mrs. G. M. Howe left last evening or Washington, D. C., where she will attend the third International Math-States Marhal for Selling one of New Mexico's delegates. Mrs. Howe will be absent for four weeks, during which time she will make a visit with friends and relatives living in Chattanooga, Tenn.

## APPOINTMENTS TO AID WORK OF THE NATIONAL CIVIC FEDERATION

Santa Fe. N. M., April 29.—Acting n accord with a request from August Beimont, chairman of the National Civic Federation, Governor McDon-ald has appointed H. L. Bickley of Haton and H. B. Hening of Albuquerfor special committee work New Mexico in connection with the federation's department on compensation for industrial accidents and their prevention. Mr. Bickley to ser a TAKES CHARGE TONIGHT on the committee for uniform state Mayor Sargent and the new city legislation and Mr. Hening on the committee on statistics.

## PROHIBITION RALLY TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY NIGHT IN SANTA FE

[Special Dispatch to Evening Herald] committee of the local probibition hope to have a sufficient number of signatures to the putition for a local option election by Wednesday night when a problemtion rully is to be held in Fireman's hall to open the sam-paign to make Santa Fe a "dry" town. the revivalist, is to be brought here next month for a series of meetings

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